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SUBJECT: BELIZE - U. S. FOOT AND MOUTH AGREEMENT

REF: BELIZE 110

1. IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRY FROM PREMIER IF USDA CAN ASSIST FINANCIALLY IN REMOVAL OF PROHIBITED MEAT ITEMS FROM STOCKS

VALUED AT APPROXIMATELY U.S. $15,000, APHIS VETERNIARY ADVISOR MASON SAYS NO SUCH FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE. FUNDS COULD ONLY BE REQUESTED IN CASE OF ACTUAL DISEASE OUTBREAKS. HE IS CERTAIN THAT MEAT INSPECTION HAS NO RPT NO FUNDS FOR REQUESTED COMPENSATION FOR REMOVAL OF PROHIBITED ITEMS. MASON WISHES TO REITERATE THAT PROHIBITED ITEMS COULD BE SHIPPED TO MARKETS PERMITTING ENTRY OF MEAT PRODUCTS FROM FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE INFECTED COUNTRIES OR RETURNED TO COUNTRY OF ORIGIN.

2. ON QUESTION OF WHAT CONSUL CAN ADVISE RE PROCEDURES TO PREVENT RECURRENCE OF THIS EPISODE, MASON ADVISES THAT ALL REQUESTS FOR IMPORTS OF ANIMALS OR ANIMAL PRODUCTS ALSO
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BE APPROVED BY BELIZE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE.

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